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Docket No. IRIS.P0001

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

Helmbrecht et al.

Serial No.: 10/705,213

Filing Date: 11/07/2003

For: ACTUATOR APPARATUS AND  
METHOD FOR IMPROVED  
DEFLECTION CHARACTERISTICS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office action dated 02/18/2004. This extension will extend the time the response is due from 4/18/04 to 5/18/04.

- ☒ A one month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$55.00.
- ☒ A credit card payment form is attached.

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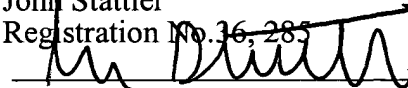
The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50 1128** referencing docket no. IRIS.P0001

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 30, 2004

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